

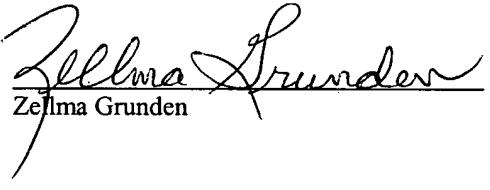


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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Customer No.: 23641	}	<u>Certificate Under 37 CFR 1.8(a)</u>
Application No.: 10/637400	}	
Confirmation No.: 3190	}	I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
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Attorney Docket No.: 614359/82663	}	on <u>November 7, 2005</u>
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Group Art Unit: 3723	}	
Examiner Name: Lee D. Wilson	}	
Title: POWERED CLAMP ASSEMBLY	}	

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents
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Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2005, for two (2) months from September 6, 2005, to November 6, 2005.

As required, the appropriate fee of \$225.00 specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is submitted herewith. Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg LLP, Account No. 02-1010 (614359/82663).

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